[12th November 1965

Burning of " Kamba Ramayanam "

* 204 Q.—SRI S. K. SAMBANDHAN (on behalf of DR. T. V. Sivanandam): Will the Hon. the Chief Minister be pleased to state—

(a) whether it is a fact that Sri E. V. Ramaswami Naicker invited his followers to burn " Kamba Ramayanam " in public at Tiruchirappalli on 10th April 1965; and

(b) if so, what steps the Government propose to take in the matter ?

THE HON. SRI M. BHAKTAVATSALAM : (a) No. However, it has been reported that Sri E. V. Ramaswamy Naicker appealed to the Tamilians to write the word " Kamba Ramayanam " on a bit of paper and burn it.

(b) As there was no appreciable response to the appeal, no action was taken.

Organisations and institutions formed on Caste or Community basis

* 205 Q.—SRI S. K. SAMBANDHAN (on behalf of DR. T. V. Sivanandam): Will the Hon. the Chief Minister be pleased to state—

(a) whether there is any proposal to ban organisations and institutions formed on caste or community basis; and

(b) if so, the stage at which the matter now stands ?

THE HON. SRI M. BHAKTAVATSALAM : (a) No.

(b) Does not arise.

New Weaving mill for the State

* 206 Q.—SRI N. V. NATARAJAN : Will the Hon. the Minister for Industries be pleased to state—

(a) whether there is any proposal to start a new weaving mill in the State; and

(b) if so, the stage at which the matter now stands ?

THE HON. SRI R. VENKATARAMAN : (a) No.

(b) Does not arise.

Surrender of Bus permits

* 207 Q.—SRI N. R. THIAGARAJAN : Will the Hon. the Minister for Industries be pleased to state—

(a) the number of bus permits surrendered to the Government from 1st April 1960 district-wise in the State to the end of 1964, and

(b) the reasons therefor?